

Biographical Data Form

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Veteran Civilian WARAND RICHARD KIRSCH
first middle last maiden name

Place of Birth DULUTH, MINNESOTA Birth Date 1929 year

Race/Ethnicity (optional) CAUCASIAN Male Female

Branch of Service or Wartime Activity U.S.M.C. RESERVE

Commissioned Enlisted Drafted Service dates 24 JUN 48 to 7 NOV 52

Highest Rank S/SGT. (ACTIVE DUTY - 21 AUG. 50 TO 21 MAR 52)

Unit, Division, Battalion, Group, Ship, etc. (Do not abbreviate.) WEAPONS CO., ^{FIRST} BATTALION,
SEVENTH REGIMENT, FIRST MARINE DIVISION

War, operation, or conflict served in KOREA (1950 - 1951)

Locations of military or civilian service DULUTH, MINNESOTA - CAMP PENDLETON -
KOREA - JAPAN - SAN DIEGO, CA

Battles/campaigns (please name) PARTICIPATED IN SECURING SEOUL, SA KOREA,
CHOSIN CAMPAIGN, NO. KOREA AND OPERATIONS IN SOUTH AND CENTRAL KOREA,
1951

Medals or special service awards. If so, please list (be as specific as possible): COMBAT ACTION, PRES.
UNIT CITATION - W/3, JAPAN OCCUPATION, NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE, USMC RESERVE,
KOREA SERVICE - W/4, KOREAN PUC, UNITED NATIONS SERVICE, KOREAN SERVICE (ROK)

Special duties/highlights/achievements FIELD PROMOTION TO STAFF SGT. (SECTION LEADER)
SUMMER AND FALL OF 1951

Was the veteran a prisoner of war? Yes No

Did the veteran or civilian sustain combat or service-related injuries? Yes No

COLD INJURY, SHRAPNEL LEFT THIGH.

Interviewer (if applicable) _____

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